Toward the Overall Factory Last Night.

A Little Over \$3,000 Was Raised.

Committees Areat Work Today.

The meeting at the city hall last night in the interests of the Farwell overall factory was well attended, notwithstanding the storm. There was a glow of enthusiasm and those present believed that the \$9,500 for the factory could be secured. Over \$3,000 was subscribed before the meeting adjourned.

The meeting was called to order by President Miller of the board of trade. J. S. Morton was elected chairman and S. A. Bailey secretary. Mr. Morton explained the proposition of the Farwell company and related the experience of the city as to how hard it has been to secure financially sound industries to locate. Mr. Gore was called upon and he made an enthusiastic speech in favor of the proposition. A.

R. Nowlen was called and he remarked that if he had not been deeply interested in the subject he would not have ventured out through the blizzard.

President Milier said the name of John V. Farwed & Co., was cheap at \$9,500. Since the papers had announced the possibility of Farwell locating here he had received a letter from a firm making horseless carriages asking if they could rent a building here for their factory. A letter from a shirt factory in Philadelphia asks if they could find a building here. The shirt company said that it needed more room and nad de ided to move west. They heard that Farwell was going to Bentou Harbor and they thought that it must be a good place.

C. L. Young said he was heartily in favor of the project. J. H. Graham | plan closed a speech full of facts with the statement that he would give \$500.

The following committee was appointed to solicit funds for the factory F. F. Pratt, C. J. Peck, Milton Hinkley, A. L. Loomis, S. A. Bailey, Roland Morrill, F. M. VanHorn, V. M. Gore, James McDonald. J. J. Miller, A. R. Nowlen and F. E. Morrow. M. Than of Riverside, H. B Woodley and Charles Antes were appointed to solicit among the farmers.

SPEECH OF MR. GORE.

Eloquent Picture of the Situation Tha Is Faced.

Mr. Gore said:

"Gentlemen, the proposition before us is a practical one. It does not cal for words but for deeds and it can best be discussed by subscriptions.

"It may be well to briefly discuss the question whether the industry is worth \$9,500 in cold, hard cash. It seems to me that the proposition is of rare merit, that it is a rare opportunity. I is no patent right that someone wants to develop with the capital of others but the proposition comes from one of Mantello Cigar Co... the leading commercial houses of the country. It is a square proposition and the only question is, do we want to do UNEXPECTED business with them? Are we enterprising enough to make use of our opportunity?

"The direct results from such an industry need not be mentioned. Every merchant, every real estate dealer. Farmers Are Awake on the Factory every professional man would feel the benefit. But to me the indirect result of the industry locating here is worth; more than all the other considerations. When word goes out that John V. Far- factory meeting last night when M. well & Co. has selected Benton Harbor Thar, a farmer of Riverside, appeared as a suitable location for a factory it will be a great advertisement to the city and will be a suggestion to other to the city for the purpose of attenting lines of manufacture in Chicago. It the meeting, ar' said that the farmers will be worth more to Benton Harbor in his neighbo and were deeply interthan all the fastitutions we now have combined, save alone the transporta was agreea de he would circulate a tion companies. It means more laborers, more houses to live in, an increased township. His proposition was quickly demand for buildings with better rents accepted. and that larger growth of the city which we have dreamed of.

gentlemen gathered together here it is a large sum. To a single individual it is a very large amount. But if you look over the tax rolls of the city you will say that \$9,500 is a small amount and that raising it will be an easy

"On general principles I am opposed to giving bonuses, although our magiving a homestead to induce settlecuous paying out of money for factories old will be most cordially welcomed. for in nine cases out of ten you bay a humbug. This is not a humbug. Stace I have had the honor of being a citizen of Benton Harbor no such opportunity illa on the first appearance of impure has been given the city.

interrupted by laughter and he went

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Saturday except snow flurries tonight. Fresh westerly winds.

jury. You are a jury and I call upon you to render a verdict of \$9,500. Mr. Gore took his seat amid applause.

MR. GRAHAM'S SPEECH.

First Time That He Ever Appeared Before Benton Harbor Audience.

J. H. Graham, president of the Graham & Morton transportation company, who has lived here all his life, spoke before a Benton Harbor audience for the first time last night. He made no pretentions to oratory but brought out in a clear way some of the facts not heretofore known in regard to the factory.

Aurora has offered the Farwell company a building which cost \$70,000 to build if they would locate there. The city of Joliet made an offer about as good. The company is willing to locate in Benton Harbor for a much less amount on account of the cheap freight rates.

Mr. Graham said it would be a long time before this city would have an opportunity to act on a proposition so favorable as this one. The factory will employ 500 to 600, and quite likely a thousand nands. The reason that the number is placed at 250 in the proposition is a matter of compromise. The

company wanted to make the number in the agreement 600 and obligate Benton Harbor to supply that number of hands. While it is believed that all the hands needed can be found still no one cared to sign such a guarantee and the number of hands in the contract was compromised at 250. The company would not accept the Courtright factory when they found that with it there was no unoccupied land, as it is their intention to build a muslin factory in addition to the overall factory.

overalls made at Fond du Lac. and the in Kentucky. factory there is unable to supply their demand. They want a factory of their own where they can make brands that will be of equal standard. The company will agree to pay the standard wages paid by other factories in the same line of manufacture.

Mr. Graham said that he had always lived here and what money he had been able to save he had invested here. He felt an interest in the welfare of the city, which he said was about the only thing a man of his age could care about. He had for several years been on the lookout for two or three good factories for the city and he believed that this was one of them. He started the subscription with \$500. This unexpected liberality brought loud ap-

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	James McDonald 10
	Roland Morrill 10
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HELP GIVEN.

Question.

A happy surprise was in store for the and asked to be neard. He had come ested in the matter. If the meeting subscription paper through Hagar

Mr. Thar is out working today. The "What is \$1,500 to the city? To the cated here increases the value of their farmers realize that every factory to

Must Take Lead Pencils.

The social committee of the Congregational C. E. has a request to make in regard to the social to be held at George Alger's next Tuesday evening. tional government is engaged in it. They wish every young man to bring at least their lead pencils. The adment I do not believe in the promis- mission fee is ten cents. Young and

"Self Preservation is the first law of Nature," and to take Hood's Sarsanarhas been given the city.

"Gentlemen of the ju-" said Mr.

Gore, and he caught himself. He was interpreted by levelth and insures good health.

"Yes, I will say, gentlemen of the effective.

He Is Making a Brave Fight for Life.

Taylor Afraid of an Injunction.

The President Refuses to Interfere.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 2.-Senator Goebel is making a brave fight for life. He is in better condition than yesterday and Dr. Welsh says that he is holding his own.

Governor Taylor has ordered no one to be admitted to the capitol grounds under any circumstances, the object being to prevent the serving of legal papers upon him.

Members of the legislature have petitioned the Franklin county circuit court for an injunction restraining Taylor and all others from interfering to prevent the assembling of the legislature at the capitol.

Washington, Feb. 2.-After the cabinet meeting today it was announced that President McKinley had decided that no case has yet arisen to justify The Farwells are now having their the intervention of federal authority

IT WILL HELP THE POOR.

View Taken By Superintendent of Rescue Mission.

Rev. J. L. Shears, superintendent of of the Rescue Mission, said last night: "I hope we get the factory. I am so much in earnest about it that you can put me down for \$25."

Mr. Shears was told that he not afford any such donation as he gives his time to the Rescae Mission work and lives on a not overly large pension. But the superintendent replied:

factory would mean to the poor of the city. It would mean that much suffering would be relieved. There are many women who are anxious to work if they could find it.

A LIVELY RUNAWAY.

It Occurred on Pipestone Street This

This afternoon a team attached to a wagon loaded with brick became frightened while standing in front of the new Mills block. They ran a short distance on the side walk when they struck a telegraph post, narrowly missing a new cutter standing in front of Milbourn's store. Brick were distribated along the street and the wagon is

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Wouldn't Be Obstinate.

"We've come ter tell yer, pardner." it's time fer yer ter light out." "Er that's ther case, gents," replied the facctious bad man, "I'll move ter make it unanimous."-Philadelphia Record.

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Utah Contestant's Claim for Mileage May Be Refused.

MAY SECURE IT IN ANOTHER MANNER

A Protest from Senator Rawlins, of Utah. Agninst Uncomplimentary References-Representative Sibley Makes Sensational Speech.

Washington, Feb. 2.- The house com mittee on mileage Thursday rejected the claim of Brigham H. Roberts, of Utah, for mileage in connection with his I to be consult of the United States at 5 contest for a scat in the house. Mr. Permanbuco, Brazil. Roberts put in a claim for all cage from Salt Lake City to Washington, MALI miles and return, at the usual core a 20 cents a mile each way, to king a The Wonderful tittle Vighter Knocks total of \$1,00%, of Mr. Roberts was l not present thursday and it was the derstood he has gore to Charles Mr. Cooper, of Texas, novee that theres ! was entitled to pin a colour coatie vote 2 to 2, this notion to be. Civile man Barham wai resent this action, I which, he says, is confunerat to a re-As a result of segment are in the econmittee, Mr. Barkene we confer with the speaker concerning the recognition of any member who may seek to seeme for Mr. Roberts the Show asmally allowed in contested election cases. This, however, is not the committee action; ! house.

Utah Senator Heard From.

lins (Utah) rose to a question of personal privilege and to make a personal in-

quiry. of the last week frequent references to myself, and intimating that if I had taken pains to do so I might have revealed certain things as to the domestic affairs of citizens of my state, and perhaps, to the moral status of a member or members of the house of representatives.

"The parliamentary inquiry I wish to betting before the fight was 2 to 1 that

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finally agreed on by the house committee on foreign affairs Thursday. It carries a total of \$1,740,476, as against \$1,-711,533 last year, and \$1,895,848 estimated by the state department. The \$6,000 heretofore required for United States participation in the triparte governreports of the Inter-Continental rail- tween the native factions. way project, also, is omitted, as the Gov. Voorhees, of New Jersey, it is rework has been wound up.

A Nomination.

Washington, Feb. 2. - The president leads added to brazing 3. United States marshal for the western district of Wisconsin.

Confirmed.

Washington, Ceb. 2. The senate con- Ho. and threed Hawin N. Garsanius, of Ohio, The Secretary of the Interest has

M'GOVERN WINS.

Out Santry in Uive Rounds. in Chicago.

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Santry was unable to leave the ring for fully ten minutes after being counted out. McGovern did not have a mark on him as he left the ring. The

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Santry would be knocked out before

It was the greatest boxing show

ever brought off in Chicago. Special

trains were run from near-by towns

and fully 15,000 people jammed and

pushed through the building. The box

NOW GOES TO GOVERNOR.

by the lowa Legislature-Will

Revolutionize Elections.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 2. — The Titus

biennial election bill passed the lower

if approved, will go into operation. The

has now passed through two sessions of

FUNERAL TRAIN STARTS.

Remains of Gen. Lawton, Maj. Logan

and Dr. Armstrong Are on

the Way East.

of Maj. Gen. Lawton, Maj. John A. Lo-

gan and Dr. John L. Armstrong started

east on a special train which left this

state one day each at Indianapolis and

taken directly to Washington for bur-

ton. Washington will probably be

reached on Thursday next and the pub-

Fire in Indianapolis.

which broke out at five o'clock Thurs-

day afternoon in George W. Stout's

wholesale grocery spread to adjoining

buildings occupied by Brinkmeyer,

Kuhn & Co., wholesale grocers; the

Hendricks-Vance company, wholesale

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 2. - Fire

San Francisco, Feb. 2. - The remains

the legislature.

MACINDON

the end of the six rounds.

Lexington Winchester

KENTUCKY'S TWO CAPITALS.

Clasgow

MINDIANAPOLIS

A special from Fayette, Ia., says a fire burned nine buildings. The loss is estimated at \$60,000. Fire at Dayton, O., destroyed property valued at about \$500,000. Three firemen were injured by a falling wall. Advices from Apia, Samoa, under date

of January 24 say that all is quiet in ment of Samoa is dropped, owing to the Samoa and the natives are more settled partition of the islands. The \$3,000 for than at any time since the disturbance be-

ported from Paterson, N. J., positively refuses to give the use of the armory in that city for the Bryan reception and meeting nominated Charles Lewiston to be Charles Jon of the Charles Johnson, the from a color who said Railway Denetive debt decision of colors at the order.

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Iowa Saloons Close,

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Des Moines, la., Feb. 2.- As a result of the decision of the supreme court holding saloon consent petitions illegal, saloons are closed in nearly every interior town. Not one is open in Des Moines. The river towns, east and west, with Cedar Rapids, Ottumwa and Iowa City, are still keeping their saloons open. Representatives of the brewing interests at Dubuque and Sioux City are here to induce the legislature to pass a legalizing act which will rectify the acts of the saloon men who have operated without right.

A Rure Scene.

Washington, Feb. 2. - The United States supreme court on Thursday witnessed the unusual spectacle of the admission of a lady and her daughter to that bar, upon motion of another daughter. The ladies admitted were Mrs. Kate P. Pier and Miss H. H. Pier, of Milwaukee, and the lady moving their admission was Miss Kate II. Pier, of the same city. Another lady member of this family was admitted a few years ago, making four of the 20 female a chabers of the supreme court bar no mebers of one family.

The Public Debt.

Washington, Feb. 2. The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business January 31, 1900, the debt, less eash in the treasury, amounted to \$1,125,636,227, a decrease as compared with last month of \$8,000,-~~i).

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Feb 1. FL "R-Moderate demand and steady. WHILAT - Unsettled. May, 67%/668120; July, 685,61000 ic

CORN- Farmer. Cash quoted at 31 pe; May sold at 321ge and 327kc. July at 3315@ Wage and Salge. OATS-Steady. May, 23 July, July,

RYE-Was a shade weaker; the demand was light. No. 2 cash, 50 gaste and No. 3 quotable at 50c. No. 4 about 49c. May was

Symbol bid. BARLEY-Offerings have become small; demand moderate; prices steady. Screenings quotable at 30%33c and export grade 35c. Low grade malting, 36% 37c, fair to good

at 371264 for and choice to fancy, 41644c. MESS PORK-Offerings were fair and demand moderately active. Prices quotable at \$10.554/10.00 for regular, and \$9.554/9.00 for old, \$10.75/g10.80 for May and \$10.82/2/g 10.85 for July.

LARD-Demand only fair and offerings Titus Biennial Election Bill Is Passed not very large. Prices quotable at \$5 804

5.85 for regular, \$5.70% 5.75 for old, \$5.05% 5.91}₂ for May and \$6.0212/96.05 for July. SHORT RIB SIDES-Offerings not very large and demand fairly active. Prices quotable at \$5.60 @ 5.90 for eash, according

to Weight, \$5.77\2@5.82\2 for May and \$5.85@ POTATOES - Prices slightly higher. Rose, 45/950c; Burbanks, 42/947c; Peerless and Kings, 42@46c; Hebrons, 42@45c; mixed,

The bill revolutionizes the holding of EGGS-A firm feeling exists. Loss off, ing away with the holding of annual cases returned, fresh eggs, 16c; held fresh eggs, quotably at Sallige; at mark, cases included, quotably 121/2/016/2c, accord-The measure for constitutional

ing to quality. BUTTER - Quotably quiet and easy, Creameries, extra, 24c per pound; firsts, 22/q 23c; seconds, 19/g 20c; dairies, 17/g 22c; imitation creameries, 18020c.

LIVE POULTRY-Market firm. Demand fair. Turkeys, 59612c; Chickens, 8c; Ducks, Se per pound; Geese, \$3.00@6.00.

New York, Feb. 2. FLOUR - Market showed moderate steadiness on all grades, without further

WHEAT-Spot steady; No. 2 red, 7518c; options closed easy at ${}^{1}sg{}^{1}4e$ net decline No. 2 red March, $75{}^{1}2g{}76{}^{3}se$ closed $75{}^{2}se$ May, 7418@74%c, closed 74%c; July, 74 1-16@ 7414c, closed 7418c.

CORN-Spot steady; No. 2, 401/8c; options closed dull, but steady at unchanged prices; May, 38% (38% c, closed 38% c. OATS-Spot quiet; No. 2, 291/2c; No. 3, 28c;

No. 2 white, 314c; No. 3 White, 304c; track Gen. Lawton's remains will lie in mixed western, 28/2@30c; track white, 30/2@ 34c; options steady, but dull.

Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 1. HOGS-Market active and firm. Prices were 10415c higher. Sales ranged at \$3.80 44.70 for pigs, \$4.604.48732 for light, \$4.654 4.7212 for rough packing, \$4.65@4.9212 for lie funeral, under the direction of Gen. mixed and \$4.75@4.97% for heavy packing Wesley Merritt, will take place on the and shipping lots.

CATTLE-The market was rather slow. Feeling was steady. Prices were unchanged. Quotations ranged at \$6.00@6.40 for choice to extra steers, \$5.40(65.90 for good to choice do., \$4.65@5.30 for fair to good do., \$4.00@4.60 for common to medium do., \$4.00@4.30 for butchers' sterrs, \$4.30@5.90 for fed western steers, \$3,4004.50 for feeding steers, \$2.0004.25 for cows, \$3.0004.85 for heifers, \$2.80@4.25 for bulls and oxen, \$3.75 @4.60 for stags, \$3.70@5.00 for Texas steers and \$5.00@8.10 for yeal calves.

SHEEP-Market fairly active and strong. boots and shoes. and the A. Kiefer Prices unchanged. Quotations ranged at Drug company, cause a storal loss, es- \$4.00@5.35 for westerns, \$3.60@5.35 for na-timated at \$350.000 27.00 for native lambs.



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Town of London, a Republican stronghold, selected as meeting place of Legislature by Taylor. make is whether such allusion to a mem ber of this body is a breach of the cour tesies and privileges of this body, and whether it would be within the privilege

of a member of the senate to reply to such allusions. The chair (Senator Frye) held that if any senator should begin an attick upon any member of the house the receipts amounted to over \$18,000. chair would call him to order, but, he said, it was for the speaker of the house to determine what action he should take in such circumstances. Senator Rawlins said that was his understanding and he made the inquiry so that his silence should not be taken as an admission of the truthfulness of

the statements made. Nearly the entire morning hour in house by a vote of 85 to 7, and is now |5.8712 for July. the senate was occupied by Senator | ready for the signature of the gov-Allen (pop., Neb.) in the discussion of ernor. the report of Secretary Gage concerning his transactions with the National | elections in Iowa, its chief provision do-City bank, of New York.

Senator Paniel (dem., Va.) delivered delections, an extended speech on the pending financial measure. He vigorously amendment will be submitted to the opposed the proposition that the coun- | people at the next general election, and, try should go to the gold standard.

Daniel M. Ramsdell, of Indiana, and proposed constitutional amendment Charles G. Bennett, of New York, were ; sworn in as sergeant-at-arms and secretary of the senate, respectively,

House.

Washington, Feb. 2. Representative Joseph Sibiey, of Pennsylvaria, who attained great prominence in the Fiftyfourth congress by his carnest championship of free silver, assaited his democratic colleagues Thursday for their opposition to expansion it a speech that made the floor and gaileries roar. Mr. Sibley has recarted his views on free eity at two o'clock Thursday afternoon. silver, and is now generally out of line with his colleagues on the democratic side. He insisted Thursday that ex. | Fort Wayne, Ind., and will then be pansion was an original democratic doetrine promulgated by Jefferson, and ad- ial in the National cometery at Arlinghered to by Madison, Jackson, Tyler, Polk and Buchanan. In eloquent language he pictured the destiny of the United States carrying the arts of peace and the story of the cross to the remot- following day. est corners of the globe. Mr. Sibley received an impressive demonstration when he closed. The remainder of the debate was uninteresting. It touched the questions of mediation in the Transvaal war, lynchings in the south and the jury law in Hawaii. Not much progress was made with the Indian appropriation bill, which was under con-

sideration. The Diplomatic Bill.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The diplomatic | timated at \$350,000

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1900.

TWO CENTS.

The Ground Hog Came Out This Morning and Plainly Saw His Shadow.

A BRIGHT CANDLEMAS

Farmers Should Have Half Their Stock of Fodder on Hand Now.

Candlemas day-February 2-was clear and bright. The ground hog came forth before breakfast and it was only a short time before there was a then the applauding began in real flood of sunshine and the shadow of earnest. the beast was so plain that there was no mistaking it. He hurried back into his winter quarters and there will remain for six weeks.

Years ago much stress was laid upon the weather on Candlemas day. Many people actually believed that if it was cloudy all day so that the bear, or the ground hog, could not see his shadow that the animal would remain out and that the winter was practically over If the bear was driven back to his hole by the sight of his shadow then it was generally believed that there would be six weeks more of cold weather.

Farmers who were short of fodder looked forward to the day and if there was sunshine then they believed that half of their fodder should be on hand last night. 'A little better than the and they immediately went into the best' is the general verdict, and 1 market and bought to make up the de- heartily concur in this opinion. We ficiency. In these days no one pays any more attention to Candlemas day the course next year and hope you will than they do to what the weather bring the same force with you. prophets predict.

Candlemas day, however, is a religious festival and is kept by the Roman Catholic church. It is the feast of the purification of the Virgin Mary. The Catholic churches observe the festival with a procession of many lighted candles, and the candles to be used on the next Candlemas day are consecrated at the celebration. From this pretty service comes the name of Candlemas.

K. P. CARNIVAL.

Big Time in Detroit Beginning February 12.

One of the projects by which the Michigan Knights of Pythias propose to increase the fund for the big convention and encampment at Detroit in August next, is a grand carnival and tair which will open in Detroit, February 12, and continue all the week. The building formerly occupied by the Wonderland musee and theatre has been leased and will be occupied from ground to dome with one of the most magnificent displays and entertainment of the kind ever put on in the state. Every lodge in Detroit has assumed a partial responsibility in the arrangetalent possible to obtain. The Bijou theatre will have a continuous vitascope program, and there will be a Japvillage with things German, a Chamber international convention which carried reported to his department at highway of Horrors, a menagerie with weird and wonderful creations for which the Pythians themselves will be personally responsible.

The committees in charge are composed of some of the best known business men in Detroit, insuring a successfully conducted entertainment, much to do with this progress, and curves. What promises to make the carnival a financial success is the donation of \$7,000 worth of prizes by Detroit merchants for distribution during the throughout the entire country has also week. The capital prize is "Romeo" the beautiful from at Wonderland ings, al. paid for than ever before have These prove it to be the great remedy Theater-Musee, or \$500 cash in its been ercored stember-nin is increasstead for the lucky person. This prize ing. The educational work is coming is the donation of Wonderland to the to the front. A new and remarkably fund There are oriental rugs, birlia d tables, coal stoves, gold wateries, liver- is being a topicd by hundreds of asware, prize pups, ladies' milliorry. railroad tickets, tons of coal and almost everything else possible to

next August with aggregate nearly \$50,000 and the people of the state are appealed to to assist in making this big February carnival a success. Tickets can be secured by addressing F. J. Peddie, secretary of the Pythian general commission, 1237 Majestic building

A number of Pythian lodges out in the state are considering excursions to Detroit during the carnival and days will be set apart for their entertainment by the local lodges. Special rates have been promised on the railroads entering the city.

Stood Death Off

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters. and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters savo' his life." This remedy expels mala ia, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

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St. Joseph Expressed Preference at a Show.

The people of St. Joseph accorded "Dewey, the Hero of Manila," a hearing Tuesday evening at Martin's Academy of Music. Incidentally the two hundred people assembled expressed their opinion of the British. It hap DAY, pened this way. One of the actors culogized the English people, lauded an Anglo-Saxon alliance and affirmed in an eloquent end up that England and the United States could and would whip the entire world. An English sympathizer in the front of the hall clapped his hands vigorously. Low hisses arose on all sides and finally one loud mouthed individual in the rear of the hall inquired:

"What about the Boers?"

GREAT DEMAND

Temple Quartette Booked for Solid Season.

The Temple quartette of Boston is booked for every night of the season, even to Saturday nights. Although the Y. M. C. A. committee early contracted for the concert still at that time there were no open dates except on Saturday evening. February 10, a week from tomorrow night.

W. H. Morris, the general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at Baltimore, wrote the manager of the quartette:

"The Temple Quartette Concert company gave us a fine entertainment shall hope to have your company on

THE \$600 FROM MITTAN

Will the American Express Company Divide It?

Niles Star: Now that Judge Coolidge has rendered a decision in the Mittan-American Express Co. case, it is a matter of conjecture as to wnat disposat the company will make of the \$600. As is customary with this corporation. when a theft occurs the employes of the company are assessed pro rata and thus the company is indemnified for the loss sustained. In the Mittan case, as we understand it, the employes were assessed and the missing \$2,000 was thus made up. Accordingly the company will realize \$2,600, whereas they lost but \$2,000. They may divide the \$600 among the employes, however.

Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION.

State Convention at Kalamazoo This Month.

The state convention of the Young Men's Christian association is to be ments. The theatre will contain a con- held in Kalamazoo, February 22-25. tinuous vaudeville performance from The past year has been a notable year 2 to 10:30 p. m. with the best traveling in association progress and it is expected that this convention will reflect issued a circular to general managers this progress.

saving critical situations, stimulating work along right lines, seeding abie local secretaries, etc. The progress been most marked. More new buildto the frost. A new and remarkably complet 5 years' course of Bible study sociations. The work for U.S soldiers is being continued. At the request of the government of the United States, eight secreta les have gone with the The expense of the great convention troops to the Philippines, carrying the of the year, which, according to their association spiric and methods, with as chronology, begins with the vernal much equipment as possible.

epoch of progress. Among the speakers announced so the following:

J. L. Houghtening, the Smeagobanker: Rev. Alexander Patterson, D. D. of Chicago: Rt. Rev. Maurice S. Baldwin, D. D., an eminent Canadain bishop: is erected before the house door. This Franklin W. Ganse, Fred B. Smith, pole, draped with red cloth and and Walter M. Wood of Chicago; Geo. N Bierce of Dayton; J. F. Moore and kettle, is worshiped as an idof to in-Harry Wade Hicks of New York, and sure a lucky year.-Woman's Home Charles S. Ward of Minneapolis

New Train Rules on Big Four.

The Big Four is to change its train [rules to conform more closely to those yo home, Miss Black? It'uk yo' im adopted by the American ranway as- too good a chu'ch membah to keep up sociation. These rules were adopted a quarrel. as standard, and nearly all of the roads | She-Huh! I doan' tink yo' am of the country have accepted them, much ob a chu'ch membah. I done The Big Four's new book of rules will sor yo' sleepin' t'roo de sermon. not be ready for distribution for sev-

Agent for Tailor Made Suits.

F. T. Millis has received a beautiful line of samples in the latest spring cloth for ladies' tailor made gowns and has already secured a number of orders from Benton Harbor ladies.

Old papers for sales, this office.

SIX WEEKS MORE OF IT FAVOR THE BOERS. THE BAPTIST REVIVAL

The Series of Meetings Which Closed Last Evening Were a Success.

CHURCH IS IN GOOD SHAPE.

Meeting Will Result in at Least Twenty Additions to the Church.

The revival meetings which closed at the first Baptist church last night will result in the addition of at least twenty members to the church. The pastor, Rev. C. E. Maxfield, says of the meet-

"The meetings were all we expected. The attendance was good and there was a deep interest. The meetings would have been continued longer but for the blizzard."

Pastor Maxifeld is getting the church in good financial condition. The cost of running the church is \$2,000 per year and heretofore the subscription has only contained pledges for about \$1,500, leaving a deficiency at the end of each year. The pastor bas put in motion a plan which has increased the list to \$1,900, and the other \$100 will be subscribed. This will put the church in shape so there will be no making up of funds at the end of the

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MICHIGAN.

Some western democrats want to nominate Pingree for president.

Two hundred men are employed by the Michigan Central railread company at Barren lake, this county, cutting ice.

The \$10,000 damage case of Dr. William E. Le mis, of Mendon. Mich., against ex-Mayor F. W. Richter and 15 Niles citizens, has ended in a dismissal. Dr. Dennis sued to vindicate his character, claiming that he had been black-

Ex-Senator Fred M. Warner of Farmington, Oakland county, announces that he is a candidate for secretary of state. Warner was candidate for the office when Stearns got it. and he was next to Stearns in the race, coming within forty votes of him. He is an enthusiastic Stearns man, as any man is likely to be who wants Stearns' present office. Warner was state senator

Railroad Commissioner Osborn has and superintendents of all railroads in Grand Rapids raised \$55,000 in 30; the state deploring the great number anese village with real Japs, a German days for the association, following the of accidents which have recently been the city by the tremendous earnestness and street crossings, and requests that and enthusiasm of the mature business orders be issued to engine men. immen who largely made up the gath-pressing on them the importance of ering. Other cities in the state have blowing whistles at all curves and also made great progress. The state when approaching highway crossings committee through its efficient state and also that bells be rung continuoussecretary. C. M. Copeland, has had by when in the proximity of crossings

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Varshapratipada of Western India. Unlike other orientals, the natives of India pay little heed to the return equinox. In western India the first Thus the convention will mark an lay of the first month, called Varshapratipada, is celebrated to some extent. In honor of it houses are decorated with festoons of mango leaves and a pole from ten to thirty feet high crowned with a small polished brass Companion.

He Tried to Make It Up.

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factory will locate here or not. most harmonious and enthusiastic ever held in the city. If the same liberality extends among all the business men that was exhibited by those at that meeting it is certain the prize will be

who have not subscribed should do so serious trouble, as the present condiat once. Don't wait for a committee to tions might do, if nothing was done to come and coax you. You are a member of an enterprising community and do your part without coaxing or urging. Don't argue against the proposition for the purpose of being relieved of what you know you ought to Kentucky court of appeals, which, he do. The committee gets no pay for its work.

The factory will not be secured unless everyone does his share. Benton Harbor cannot afford to lose the oppor-supreme court for final settlement. tunity.

AMAZING ADVENTURE.

An Italian Woman's Terrible Aeziai Flight Nearly Half a Mile Above Terra Firma.

Teresa Falciola, an Italian peasant woman, met recently with an extrora spacious valley, is a high and wooded mountain, and there it has been her cuttom to go two or three times a week for the purpose of collecting frewood. To bring this wood down from the precipitious mountain to her cottage was quite an arduous task.



Therefore, she sent it down by means of a strong metal wire, stretched from the valley up to the mountain top.

A few weeks ago she and her two little daughters ascended the mountain, and after gathering three goodly bundles of wood, prepared to send them down. Just, however, as the mother had fastened the first bundle to the wire and had launched it on its gownward course her wedding ring became caught in the rope with which the bundle was tied, and in a flash she was carried off her feet and swept downward into the valley. Half paralyzed with fear, her little daughters watched her as she sped from their sight with amazing swiftness, and then they ran down the mountain, fully expecting to find her lying dead at the end of the wire.

And their fear was quite natural, since the mountain top from which their mother had been torn is 800 yards above the valley. Fortunately, their fear proved to be groundless. They found their mother entirely uninjured. Yet, miraculous indeed was it that her life was not crushed out of her at the end of her perilous descent. It would have been if her fall had not been broken as she was reaching the earth by some friendly branches. The bundle of wood, too, was in some measure a bulwark against the shock.

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THE EVENING NEWS. THEY CANNOT AGREE

Negotiations for Peaceful Settlement in Kentucky Fail.

TAYLOR APPEALS TO THE PRESIDENT.

He Asks That He Be Recognized as Governor as a Step Toward Ending Trouble - No Request for Troops.

since the shooting of Gov. Goebel there were signs of a peaceful settlement. The signs were few and small, and they have disappeared, but the hole into which they have withdrawn has been left open, and there is a chance that they may reappear. The original proposition looking toward an amicable adjustment came from the republican side just before noon, when T. L. Edel-The meeting held last night was the en, of Frankfort, one of Gov. Taylor's attorneys, appeared at the Capital hotel to hold a conference with Judge Pryor, Lewis McQuown and Col. William Scott, the legal advisors of the democracy. After a short talk Mr. Edelen declared that Gov. Taylor and the republican party were anxious to avoid Property owners and business men anything that possibly might lead to prevent it. He was assured by the democratic attorneys that they were as anxious to save any clash between the parties as the republicans could be. Mr. Edelen then proposed to submit the case of the rival governors to the declared, judging by the action of Judge Hazelrigg in swearing in Gov. Goebel. would probably decide against Gov. Taylor. He then wanted the right to submit the matter to the United States The talk was informal, Mr. Edelen merely stating his position that the opposing attorneys might take the matter under advisement. The lawyers separated with an agreement to meet again at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Fail to Agree.

When they met for the second time. Mr. Edelen again submitted his proposition, and received the reply that the dinary adventure. Near her home, in democratic attorneys desired to have the village of Quarna, which nestles in the matter adjudicated in the state courts. To this Mr. Edelen objectcd, saying he wished the final settlement to be made in the supreme court | Ky., Dr. Frazee, one of Morgan's cavat Washington.

> to concede the election and seating of towns, none of which have been ac-Gov. Goebel, which Mr. Edelen declined to entertain. Both sides were at the end of their respective ropes. Nothing more could be said on either side, and the lawyers separated. As they left the room, Mr. Edelen inti- dated Thursday, at Frankfort. Gov. mated that it was possible that he Taylor recites at length the situation might be able to submit another prop- in Kentucky; declares that he considosition at some later time. He was crs himself the legally elected executive

ore Taylor's Orders.

Trader Thursday by public officers he is doubtful of his power to control who declined to obey his orders. The the situation, and appeals to the presi-Fist came from President Rodman, of dent to end the matter and secure the Farmers' bank, which is a state peac in the state by recognizing him as depository. Some vouchers on the bank were signed by Gov. Taylor in is very earnest and the aid of the admintayor of some of the militia officers, who wanted money for their compardes. When they were presented at the bank payment was refused. President Redman said that he did not see how he could pay out the money on orders signed by Gov. Taylor until he knew for certain who was the actual governor of Kentucky.

The second instance promised for a time to have serious consequences, and trouble may yet arise from it. Gov. Taylor issued a pardon to Douglas Hayes, a convict in the Frankfort penitentiary, who is serving a five years' term for manslaughter, having been sentenced in March, 1899. When the pardon was sent to Warden Lillard he decided that he could not turn the man loose until he was satisfied regarding the legal status of the governorship. He made no reply to Gov. Taylor, but declined to honor the pardon, and informed the penitentiary commissioners of his action. They agreed with the position taken by the warden, and the man was held.

Militia Still on Guard.

No attention whatever has been paid by the militia to Gov. Goebel's orders to return to their homes. It is just as though the order had never been issued. Adjt. Gen. Collier says that no consideration will be given to any orders that may emanate from the Goebel headquarters.

It is now definitely decided that Gen. John B. Castleman, of Louisville, is not to be adjutant general for Gov. Goebel, and while it was asserted Wednesday night with great positiveness that he had been appointed, it is said now that he never was tendered the place. No man has been appointed as yet, but the name of Col. T. J. Smith, of the Third Kentucky infantry, is prominently men-

Troubles of the Legislators.

The legislature is making progress. Wednesday it was hustled around the town and raced through the streets by the military. Thursday morning a small portion of it was turned back at the gate of the state house grounds when attempt was made to reach the capitol building-Thursday afternoon it reached the door of the building, and as a body it has strong hopes that the next attempt will take them into the legislative chambers.

In accordance with a plan arranged reneral assembly presented themselves guaranteed to do the work. 50 cents, at the state house Thursday afternoon, all druggists or Dr. A. W. Chase Med. and Speaker Trimble demanded that they be admitted for the purpose of stamp. Many are cured by sample box, send today. ed by a column of soldiers, and Adjt.

Gen. Collier informed them that they would not be allowed to enter the building. They then left.

Had No Quorus.

At eight o'clock Speaker Trimble posted a notice in the office of the Capital hotel calling members of the house to meet in one of the hotel parlors. Forty-four members only were present. and this being no quorum an adjournment was taken. The meeting was not originally intended as much for business purposes as to serve notice on the military that the legislature was able to meet when it chose. The notice was posted in ample time to have allowed the soldiers to prevent the gathering. Frankfort, Feb. 2.—For the first time | The senate also held a short caucus and nominated Senator Carter, of Anderson county, to be president pro. tem. of the senate, a position heretofore held by Goebel.

May Not Meet in London.

There is very little heard now about London, and there seems to be a general feeling among the democrats and republicans alike that the next regular meeting of the legislature will be held in the capitol building. There has been no announcement of any intention on the part of Gov. Taylor, but it seems to have become a tacit belief that he will rescind his action of Wednesday, before the time set for the meeting.

Seek an Injunction.

The legislature will take active steps to prevent Gov. Taylor from interfering with any session they desire to hold in the legislative chambers. Papers have been prepared and this morning an injunction will be asked from Judge Cantrill, of the fiscal court, restraining Gov. Taylor from interfering in any way with the proceedings of the legislature. Gov. Taylor has announced before this that he will pay no attention to the orders of the fiscal court. The probabilities are that some trouble will ensue.

Goebel's Condition.

At one o'clock this (Friday) morning Dr. Hume said that Gov. Goebel would probably live through the night. He added, however, that there was a possibility of uraemic poisoning and that it was possible for the governor to die in a convulsion almost any

Aid Tendered Goebel.

Cincinnati, Feb. 2.—Specials to the Enquirer from numerous points in Kentucky report the tender of troops, if needed to sustain the Goebel government. Among them is the offer of Col. Gaither, of Harrodsburg, heretofore a strong anti-Goebel man. At Richmond, airy, in a few hours enlisted 50 men. Mr. McOnown urged the republicans | Similar offers come from scores of other

Appeals to President.

Washington, Feb. 2.-President Me-Kinley has received a long message from Gov. W. S. Taylor, of Kentucky, to understand that he would be of the state, and asserts that the condibu'f way and the conference was tion of affairs at the present time is most critical. He says that a riot may occur at any time which will cause Two direct slaps were given Gov. much bloodshed. Gov. Taylor says that the governor of Kentucky. The appeal istration is urgently requested.

No Request for Troops.

Gov. Taylor's communication to President McKinley is in its nature a memorial. It goes at great leagth into the situation in Kentucky, making an explanation of the conditions there. While definite and absolute information on this point is not obtainable, there is reason to believe that a specific request for the immediate presence of federal troops is not made No action of any kind has been taken on Gov. Taylor's memorial, and it can be positively stated that up to midnight no decision whatever with refcrence to it had been reached. Today is the regular day for cabinet meetings, and the session will be very opportune for a careful consideration by the president and all his advisers of the course for the administration to take No conclusion will be reached save with great deliberation, and after the most careful discussion of the Kentucky situation in all its aspects as it affects the federal government. The president will go very slow in the matter, in the hope that events in the state itself will so shape themselves as to relieve the administration of the necessity of any action.

Will Visit the President.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 2.-The news wired from Washington that Gov. Taylor had sent a long message to President McKinley, asking for support, had an enlivening effect upon the democrats here, and to-day Senator-elect Blackburn and other Kentucky democrats will call upon the president and give the Goebel side of the case. Ex-Gov. McCreary and Warden Lillard, of the penitentiary, held long conversations with Mr. Blackburn, giving him the latest phases of the local situation. They received the information from Mr. Blackburn that he had been rendered practically certain that there would be no interference in Kentucky affairs by the national administration under any circumstances. Notwithstanding the expressed confidence of Mr. Blackburn, the delegation will call upon the president in the effort to wipe out all chance of federal interference.

Twenty Years of Pain

A. H. Clark, of Rockford, Mich. writes: "After suffering for over 20 In accordance with a plan arranged by Mr. Goebel during his conscious hours, the democratic members of the cured me." Dr. Chase's Ointment is

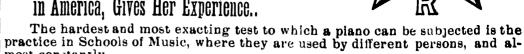
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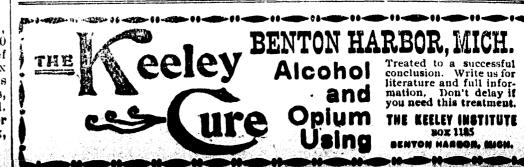
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Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 2.-A dispatch has been received at Harvard college observatory from Prof. Kreutz. at Kiel observatory, stating that a comet was discovered by Giacobindi at Nice, January 31.

Charged with Murder. Sioux City, Ia., Feb. 2.—Oscar Good-

sich was arrested here on the charge of having murdered John Robson, his partner in the contracting business.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

THE Congregational choir will pracice at the usual place and at the usual

REGULAR meeting of the K. O. T. M. this evening. All members are requested to be present.

MISS Dora Babcock will attend to Mrs. Dorothy Collins' millinery business during her absence.

F. E. HEPLER has furnished the plans and will build a \$1700 house for C. C. Sweet, Britain avenue.

EDWARD Barrigen was brought down from Niles yesterday to spend thirty days in the county jail for disorderly

CONTRACTOR Neeley of the Bell opera house says, weather permitting. a large force of men will be put to work next Monday. AFTER Mrs. Vincent's dancing class

this evening there will be an assembly. The music for the assembly will be furnished by Fred Null. THE Benton Harbor Court of Honor will meet this evening instead of Tues-

day night, the regular meeting night having been changed from Tuesday to

JOSEPH Crago of this city was married to Miss Mertie C. Nay, near Battle Creek, January 24. Mr. Crago and his bride returned here last night and will make this city their home.

MAX Minney, charged with stealing two plush robes from Charles Dana. was not taken to the county jail as stated yesterday. He furnished bonds for his appearance at the next term of the circuit court.

THE funeral of the late Robert Spink will be held from John Wallace's in St. Joseph Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Burial will occur at St. Joseph cemetery where a short service will be held at 3 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. James Hamilton.

THERE will be a deacons' meeting at equalled for piles, injuries and skin the Baptist church this evening at 7:30 diseases. It is the original Witch Hazel for the reception of candidates for bap-Salve. Beware of all counterfeits tism. The regular covenant meeting 2:30 p. m. A large attendance of the

> Graves this morning on the charge of habitual drnnkenness. Attorney N G. Kennedy appeared for Ledger and succeeded in getting the charge changed to plain drunk. Justice Graves sentenced him to 90 days in the thing that ever was made is Dr. King's county jail.

> THE two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele, living on Highland into energy, brain-fag into mental avenue, was sitting near the cook stove power. They're wonderful in building this morning when it accidentally fell by Lowe & Witherspoon, druggists. over and struck its head on the corner of the stove, cutting a severe gash which bled quite freely. Dr. George Bell was hastily summoned and dressed the wound. Although there was a fire in the stove the child was not burned.

SUNDAY, February 4, is known to the Young People's societies as Christian Endeavor day, it being the birthday of the Christian Endeavor movement. On this account the Young People's societies of the city have been invited to attend a quiet hour service at the Congregational church Sunday morning from 7 until 8 o'clock. Everyone, young and old, is invited to attend.

FOOD FOR THE BOERS.

Benton Harbor May Show Some Practical Sympathy.

The people of Benton Harbor generally are in sympathy with the Boers in their struggle for independence. but that sort of sympathy don't count. It is said that the Boers are short on baking powder and tumblers and substantial sympathy suggests that our citizens purchase a supply of these articles and ship them to Oom Paul. For the purpose of making a little money go a good way tomorrow Herr Bros. will sell a pound of Diamond baking powder and six glass tumblers for 20 cents. The baking powder alone is worth 25 to 30

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PLEADS FOR A DOG.

The life of Mike, an Irish terrier, was anxiously sought in Justice Dooley's court at Chicago the other day. Attorneys argued, recited the law and eloquently pleaded that the life of Mike be spared. Other attorneys demanded as persistently that Mike be immediately sentenced to death, and a dozen witnesses gave testimony against the dog. Attorney Miles Devine pleaded as earnestly for the terrier as he would for a human being, piled the desk high with authorities and finally saved the beast's

Mike was not present, but the magistrate was shown a photograph of the animal. Attorney Devine argued that



the photograph showed Mike to be anything but the vicious dog represented by the prosecution. White Attorney Devine championed the cause of the dog and pleaded for his life, Attorney Thomas Dorney showered all the abuse he could command upon the animal, and insisted that the community was not safe as long as Mike was permitted to roam at will.

The trouble was caused by Mrs. Bertha Hellman, who said the dog had tried to bite her son. Mr. Devine de nied the charge and accused Mrs. Hellman of being prejudiced against Make because he was Irish. Attorney Dornev denied that the race question figured in the matter and threatened to secure an injunction restraining Mike from biting his client or any member of her family. His honor then threw the case out of court.

Tremendous Powder Blast.

Another of the monster blasts which are at intervals blown off at the large quarries at Furnace, on Lochfyneside, of the church will be held Saturday at Argyleshire, took place recently and proved highly successful. There were tour tons of powder used, and it was JAMES Ledger was before Justice estimated that some 80,000 tons of rock were dislodged by that blast

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markable declaration in the house of commons that Great Britain will have in a fortnight 180,000 regulars in South Africa, 7,000 Canadians and Australians and 26,000 South African volunteers, is received with wonderment. Of this total of 213,000 troops, with 452 guns, all are now there, with the exception. of about 18,000 that are affoat. Beyond comparison, this is the largest force Great Britain has ever put into the Wellington at Waterloo had 25,000. Mr. was the last one he dug. Wyndham's speech was the strongest defense the government has yet put forward as to what has been done, and is being done. The general tone of the morning papers is that his figures will astonish the country. Roughly speaking, only 80,000 men are at the front. Ten thousand others have been lost and 10,000 are shut up at Ladysmith. Excluding these, there are 70,000 troops who have not yet been in action, in addition to those at sea. Why so many effectives have not yet been engaged is explained by the lack of land transport and the organization of supplies, to which Lord Roberts is devoting his experience and Lord Kitchener his genius for details. It seems as though! the weight of these masses must de- hard by. stroy the equilibrium which now holds the British forces stationary wherever they are in contact with the Boer army.

Buller on the Aggressive. London, Feb. 2.- The St. James Ga-

zette says it is reported on good authority that Gen. Buller has again crossed the Tugela river at three places, and that fighting has been proceeding all day long.

The war office has no news of Gen. Buller's alleged movements, as reported by the St. James Gazette, but the paper says it has no reason to doubt the correctness of its information, although it has not yet learned the exact positions Gen. Buller seized.

British Losses.

A further list of the casualties published by the war office brings the total from the crossing of the Tugela to the abandonment of Spion kop to 1,985 officers and men.

PERISHED BY FIRE.

Sad Fate of a Teacher and Scholar in St. Louis-Disasters at Other Points.

St. Louis, Feb. 2.- Two lives were lost by a fire which partly destroyed St. Lawrence O'Toole's parish school, on Fourteenth street Thursday afternoon. The victims were Sisters Stanislaus and a pupil, Mary Foley, ten years old. They were in the south wing of the third floor of the building, and when they discovered that the building was on fire they were imprisoned by a pall of smoke that no one could penetrate. Firemen were trying to rescue them, but each time they found the suffocating smoke an impassable barrier. and the sister and her pupil, despairing of success, fell at the foot of a little altar, upon which there was a crucifix. and there, 15 minutes later, two firemen. who had climbed up a ladder from the alley, found them suffocated and unconscious, embraced in each others arms. Both died a few minutes after being carried to the Pius hospital. The fire was caused by an overheated furnace in the basement. The loss on the

building will not exceed \$6,000. Lowell, Mass., Feb. 2. Morin's block, a five-story business structure, was destroved by fire Thursday, entailing a loss of \$100,000. Mrs. Bridget Grady, aged 48, was burned to death.

Charleston, S. C., Feb. 2. Mrs. Eilinor C. Barker, 94 years of age, and Mrs. to death here Thursday. Their cloth-

MUCH TALK OF A STRIKE.

Grave Pears of a Serious Ending to the Differences Between Miners and Operators.

Andiamapolis, Ind., Feb. 2. Indiana operators are still fighting against run of mine tasks. The operators and miners are as far apact as ever. There is strike talk and much uneasiness is felt by both operators and miners. The United Mine Workers' Journal says that a strike now would be a moral erime, and its editor, W. C. Scott declares that all nonunion men in West Virginia and the arthracite fields of Pennsylvania wone, follow the calling out of the 150,000 United Mine Workers, and the wheels of progress would be tied up in a week. Indiana 's the stumbling block now.

Incorporated. Milwaukee, Feb. 2.-The American

Wireless Telegraph company was incorporated Thursday by Warren S. Johnson, Charles Fortier and Henry Herman, the capital being \$1,000,000. Officers will be elected and permanent organization effected shortly. Some of the largest telephone and telegraphic interests in the country are said to be Heavy Loss by Fire.

New York, Feb. 2.-Fire destroyed the building at Fifth avenue and Thirtyeighth street, occupied by E. S. Hess

& Co., dealers in antique furniture. 154 Pipestone Street Chief Croker estimates the damage at

Joseph R. James, for Forty-Four Years Sexton of Belleville, Ill.

Had Buried 20,000 People While He Was the Town Gravedigger-Now Lies in the Tomb Which He Prepared Himself.

According to the Belleville (Ill.) correspondent of the Chicago Tribune, Joseph R. James, of that city, in his lifetime dug over 20,000 graves and buried London, Feb. 2.--Mr. Wyndham's re- over 20,000 men, women and children. It was his wish that he might lie in a grave dug by his own hands. The wish was only partially realized. He begun to dig his own grave, but was not able to finish it, and the task was completed by his son. He was laid in it only a few days ago.

James was the sexton of Walnut Hill cemetery for 44 years, and was 75 years old at his death. He was first appointed to the position in the spring of 1855. field. At the end of the Crimean war On May 16 of that year he dug his first she had scraped together 80,000 men. grave. His own, only partly finished, James was a Cornishman. He had

come to Belleville the year before, straight from his Cornish home, and was chosen sexton. When he received the appointment he went with his bride to live in a little old house in the cemetery. They lived there for many years. Two of their children were born there. Finally he inherited some money from a relative in England and bought property across the road, fronting the cemetery. There he bulit himself a home and lived until his death.

When James was first made sexton there were only a few graves in the cemetery. When he died there were more than 20,000 in the city of the deadmore than in the city of the living

Year after year the mayors reappointed him to the position and the successive city councils always approved the appointment unanimously. It came to be accepted the position was his for life, and nobody ever applied for the appointment against him. He dug all the graves himself up to a short time ago, when his growing feebleness caused him to accept the assistance of Sun.



DIGGING HIS OWN GRAVE.

his sons. He never relinquished the direction of the interments, though, and a funeral scarcely would have seemed

to be complete without him. He had often expressed his desire that he should be able to dig the grave in which he should lie among the thousands whom he had put away in the old graveyard, and about three weeks ago, when he had premonitions that he was going to be sick, taking into account his age, he considered that possibly it might be his last illness. With what strength he had left he began digging the grave which he wished to occupy Before he could complete it, though, he was compelled to take to his bed. He might have recovered and been able to complete digging the grave, but he arose too soon, and in attempting to walk across the floor be grew faint and fell, his head striking a coal bucket. In his enfeebled condition the injury hastened his death.

His funeral was attended by ag the city officials in a body. The city fire bells were tolled. Handreds of those whose relatives he had buried followed the body to the grave.

James was a good deal of a philosopher. He did not believe that people were ever buried alive, or that there were such things as ghosts. His observation was that grief for the departed was not lasting as a general thing. Talking to a reporter who took a pieture of him in the cemetery a few days before he was taken down with his fatal illness, he said:

"I have buried 20,000 dead people. I don't believe I have ever buried a live person. I have often had people come to me a few days after a funeral and tell me they feared that the relative who had been buried was not dead. Generally it is a mother whose child has been buried. Maybe somebody has remarked how lifelike the child looked or suggested that it might not have been dead, and the mother, unstrung and nervous and imaginative, thinks it over until she convinces herself that the child was not dead. Then she comes out here and asks me to open the grave. Lalways tell them that if the child was not dead before it certainly is dead now. They go away then. But I suppose some of them continue to doubt as long as they live whether the child was really dead.

"Some have had so strong a feeling that a relative has been buried alive that they have insisted upon the grave being opened. In no case, though, die I find that consciousness had returned after interment. There may be such cases, but in the light of my experience I do not believe it."

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Sant Map. Learning ale s. so and by the measurable in the gleanung. spaces of the pretty fireal drawn go

her low (coast chair by the old-fash-down his head and kissed him on the ioned grate, and the major, advancing, lips. takes its girl's shy iv outstretched hand and retains at within his own.

"Your tather tells me that you have consented to become my wife," he says, gravely; "may I hope to hear you confirm my Lappaness with your own lips?"

There is no note of triumph in his woice, only a respectful pleading tenderness that, despite her timidity, encourages the girl to meet the eager gaze of those kinely gray eyes. But her sweet face is ghastiy white, and the words of her reply are spoken with evident effort.

"Yes, it is true," she says, "I-I will try to- to do my duty towards you." "Only that, Doris?" the major asks, softly; "eannot you find it in your sympathetic little heart to love me?"

the case again. 4-4 like you very much, pring it's rider to the ground with the indeed I do, but I have before explained , weight of its body why I cannot love you."

face is contracted as by a momentary turns, and in a few moments is standspasm of pain. "You mean, of course, what your father calls the boy-and-girl. non-sense between you and young Clitherror?" he says, sacly.

"It is no not onse," Doris eries, hetly, "and paper is unjust and and cruel. ... Bob and I have known each other since his father first became rector here, 18 thry chie hose together, and until this money trouble of papa's, it was theirly; theerstood that we were to marry when Bob obtained promotion."

M.d. Perrirge ale smiles a trifle grim-Iv. "You would have found even a enptain's pay to great wealth, especially ! in a regiment like ours," he says, "and I understand that Mr. Clitherton has CLITHERTON GPENS HIS Ed., S AND little or nothing besides."

"No, but he has good expectations; ling beside his prostrate subaltern. he will come into most of his uncle's with the bridle hitched over one arm property some day, and I should not have minded being poor in the least, stand. Clitherton has become un a n-But it's of no use to talk of all that seious, stunned by the fall or over now," the girl adds, hopelessly,

"Pardon me if I disagree with you, at the outset. Forgive me if I pain you hum alarmingly near, but the mojo-

jection at the time. It is only since his dragging Clitherton from beneath. losses that he has told me I must marry money if I would save him from ruin.

"He has been equally candid with me," the major says, coldly. "I suppose fortune and not me that you will wed," he adds, with a sigh.

Doris hangs her head, for there is very shameful, doesn't it?"

Penningdale laughs mirthlessly. "Yes," he agrees, "I'm afraid it's not particularly romantic." He takes both yearning in his own. "I daresay I appear a regular old brute to you-Pm rearly twice your age, remember, but this against your will."

"No, no," Doris cries, hastily, "you must not think that; indeed you must not. I told papa yesterday that I would do as he wished; I feel I ought to be very grateful to you for your kindness."

"Poor girl," Penningdale says, softly. "Do you know that somehow you lance attempt at cheerfulness. "I must try and suppress my ogreish instincts us nauch as possible; I assure you I'm yeaktow me."

the chiful," the girl says, cordially; the a deserve someone who would make you happier than I can."

"that would be impossible," is the G : : answer. "I have never loved, I her release." er shall love any woman but you." The a observing his companion's embar-

Africa?" "No; is it, indeed?" Doris cries, jump-

ing gladly at the change of subject. "Yes, things look very black there; they say war may break out at any moment, so, you see, you won't be troubled with me for some time, even if you don't

The girl shivers. "Don't, please, talk my little feet,
An' rock an' rock, while with her voice the like that," she says; "you pain me un-Till sloop, like balm descended, as I heard speakably."

"Forgive me," Penningdate responds, there'yes a dan't makews pictury as the chiral set in charpage. They set is such year in meeting an'sing so perlaips you was test with no for a few monar is while I to I ven what I to seep, a few finding is white reserved was reserved to arise, in their bearts, have arranged with your father. Of mutal I return that is Saide Inforcerssien in discourse so we must l'include a bait as Sande l'als nomes se con ani the operat they a iverne miss and miss at it is madurily man home a

Her eyes hard with trans her wertle the state of the s comprehensing the half and direction chitting in to the thines. "May, Penragoule, she says, steadily "you are a good and a true non, and I thank you with all my heart."

And before the major knows quite Thus the syrises nervously from what is happening the girl has drawn

> The South African sun shining brilliantly from a cloudless sky, a broad stretch of yeldt, frowned upon by precipitous hills that echo the incessatt rattle of the Boer fire, belching death from every bowlder and kopje upon the handful of British cavairy below.

This little scouting party has "lo cated the enemy's position and drawn their fire" with a vergeance, and they now prepare to fall back upon the main body. The bugle sings out a few clarion notes, the quivering horses are wheeled. and in another moment are thundering back amid the leaden hail.

The two officers of the party, Maj Penningdale and Lieut, Clitherton ride "You know I cannot," is the reply, almost side by side. Suddenly the lat-"Oh, Maj. Pennir Bhaic, don't, pray don't liter's horse pecks, stumbles on a yard compet me to go over that aspect of or two, and then rolls over dead, pin-

The major, looking back over his The hopeful light dies out of the shoulder, checks his mettled but wellmajor's eyes, and his stern, handsome trained charger within a dozen yards.



STARES CONFUSEDLY

A glance shows him how matters powered by the heavy weight of the dead horse that is slowly crushing the is the response; "it is far better I think | life out of him. | Phutt! | A | bullet that we should understand each other strikes the saddle, and several more -there was no formal engagement, I bed is calmness itself. With an effort that lieve; your father was never consult- handicapped as he is, is positively hereulean, he contrives to shift the "No, but he would have raised no ob- dead animal sufficiently to allow of his

The guns on the hills growt and mutter like a giant beast argry at seeing its prey escaping. The air seems alive with flying bullets, but they I must thoroughly understand it is my might as well be peas for all Penningdale appears to care. Lifting the lientenant in his arms he sets him with some difficulty astride the saddle something in the other's voice that mounts himself, and with one hand touches her in spite of herself. "I am supporting his insensible burden and so sorry," she says, gently, "it all seems | the other on the reins, speeds back through the death-dealing shower

Clitherton opens his eyes before long and stares confusedly at the grim set face so close to his, but it is not her hands in his and looks into her tear- until they are out of range of the Boor ful eyes with a world of suppressed fire that the major pulls up and assists the younger man, now rapidly recovering, to alight.

A flood of recollection breaks in it's not too late to draw back. Heaven upon the latter's half-dazed mind. forbid that you should be forced into "Major, you're a hero," he says with grateful enthusiasm; "you've saved my life."

> The other responds by a question "Are you wounded at all?" he asks

"No, sir, I don't think so; but that's thanks to you. The beggars were potting at me all the time I was struzgling to get free. I fancy I've get a make me feel a desperate villain? Well, rib or two broken, that's all, Ard von, well, we must make the best of things, sir-my God! were you hit?" For the I suppose," he goes on, with a rather major had sunk suddenly to the ground, his face ashen colored and a bloody foam about his lips

"Yes," he says, weakly, as Clither the such a very terrible ruffian when ton, kneeling, bends anxiously over him. "Yes, they had me as I was "I believe you are all that is kind and dragging you out. Stay"-as the other signals argently to some of the troop ers who are riding back-"don't call any aid, I-I'm past it. Bend closer so. Tell-tell Doris I have given her

He smiles faintly, half turns, as a gush of blood from the lungs fills his ment, he adds, considerately, "but mouth and sinks back into his com all frighten you away if I begin to panion's arms—dead.—Ally Sloper.

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Miss Carrie McDougal of Chicago is the guest of friends in this city.

Dr. and Mrs. George M. Bell and Dorothy Collins went to Chicago today to attend the funeral of a relative.

The Daughters of Ossoli will meet with Mrs. John M. Alimendinger tomorrow. Annual election of officers.

The Crickets met January 29 with Mrs. Christopher. The following instructive program, which was in charge of Miss Crooks, was given: Responses to roll call were on Egypt; Ancient Egypt, Mrs. Perry: The Valley of the covery, which had more than once Nile, Mrs. Ida Allen; The Pyramids, Mrs. Alger; Egpptian Architecture, Mrs. Edmonds; Religious, Madame Christopher; Cablegrams, Mrs. Kramer. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Kramer, Brunson avenue, February 5. As this is social day all members are requested to be present at 2 o'clock.

The N. S. club met with Miss Edna Fortin last evening. Miss Maude Golden and Leland Townsend won the first prizes and Miss Edna Kessler and Guy Mitchell the second prizes. The club adjourned to meet St. Valentines evening with Miss Cora Price and Iola Hummiston at the former's home in St.

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Miss Elliot is a handsome and talented young lady and has always resided at Berrien Springs. Mr. Matthews is employed as private secretary for the Wells, Fargo & Co., and is a man of high standing in social circles. They

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ST. JOSEPH.

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Sheriff Ferguson this morning received a letter from his wife who is visiting relatives in Adrian that their son Victor is quite ill.

W. W. Bean is confined to his home the result of a fall which he sustained in his home. He was walking on a polished floor when his feet slipped and he fell in such a manner that he struck his side and nearly broke a rib. A doctor was summoned but no serious results are expected from the fall.

Mayne Truscott, the little four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Truscott, died this morning at 5 o'clock of pneumonia. The little one was never very robust and was taken ill with diphtheria about three weeks ago which was followed by pneumonia. The funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock at the house and will be private. Mr | ruscott is one of the firm of the Truscott boat company and the manufactory vill be closed tomorrow.

Death of Mrs. Julia Brown.

Mrs. Julia Brown, vife of the late William A. Brown as born in Hartford, Conn., June 19, 1918. Died at the home of her daughter. Mrs. Nold, January 30, 1900, ag d Mars, 6 months and 16 days. She was urried to William A. Brown, North 23, 1854, at Elyria, Ohio. Two children were born to them. Eugene W. Brown, who resides at Stevensville, and Grace M. Nold, at Baroda, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Brown emigrated from Elyria, Ohio, to Stevensville, Mich., in the year 1862, where Mr. Brown purchased a farm. Julia Brown united with the M. E. church at Hartford, Conn., when about the age of twenty years. She was a kind and loving wife and mother, and a devoted Christian until death.

The funeral was held in the Methodist Episcopal chure i in Stevensville February 1, conducted by Dr. W. I. Cogshall and burial followed in the village cemetery.

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The owners of the Twin City ice house located on the St. Joseph river commenced cutting ice this morning. The ice is about seven inches thick.

A Night of Te for.

she would die from Pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln. who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Dis- | dered condition of the kidneys. Anothsaved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all Trial bottles 10 cts at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

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July	684	69 §	$68\frac{1}{2}$	69 1 b	$98^{\frac{1}{2}}$
Corn-					
May	$32\frac{9}{4}$	$33\frac{1}{3}$	32	33 1 b	32 \$ b
July	$33\frac{1}{2}$	333	$33\frac{1}{2}$	$33\frac{9}{4}$	$33\frac{8}{5}$
Oats-	534	931	931	931 a	934

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school in our village, and I should very



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much like you to commence going. What do you say?"

"Oh," replied John, "I don't mind." So on the following night Johnny started off for school.

On arriving there, and seeing the schoolmaster, John walked straight towards him and remarked: "I say, Mr. Smith, I'll bet you five shillings you have not got half a crown in your pocket."

The schoolmaster, thinking the loss of five shillings would break Johnny of the pernicious habit, took the bet; and turning his pockets out, he showed a sovereign. John paid up. Nothing more was said until a few days after, when Mr. Smith called to see John's father.

"Now," said the schoolmaster, "I think I have cured your son of betting. could not show half a crown."

"You did not take his offer, did you?" "Of course I did," replied the mas-

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One evening as Johnny and his father were alone, the father said: "Now, John, I hear we are to have a night of the said of the Rose Morris (the wronged woman) Mabel Hoyt Old Mother Mag (keeper of a den) Letha Wheaton

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ARBEITER SOCIETY.

Program for Next Monday Evening's Entertainment.

The German Arbeiter society of this ity will give an entertainment in Conkey's hall next Monday evening, February 5. Following is the program:

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	Overture
	Ausprache des Praesi enton
١	Eine Fidele Gerichts Sitzung Tric
	Plattdeucher Vortrag Solnofsky
١	Oesterreichishes Volksleid Maennerchor
1	PART II.
I	Overture Musik Kapelle
	Landmilitz von Blasewitz Maennerch a
	Mygel Synder's Barty Kool
١	Der Kaefer und die Blume Maennerchor
	Der Dumme BauerSpilger
	Maennerlogik Maennerchor
1	My Country, 'Tis of Thee Audience

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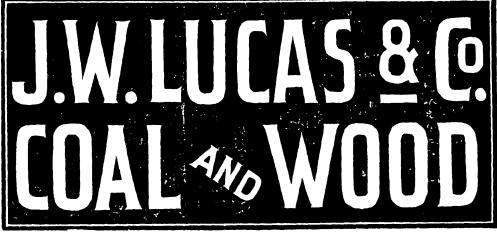
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